

# UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FEDERAL CIRCUIT

## NOTICE OF DOCKETING

2007-1365 - ADVANCED CARDIOVASCULAR V MEDTRONIC

**Date of docketing:** 05/30/2007

**Appeal from:** United States District Court / District of Delaware  
case no. 98-CV-80

**Appellant(s):** Medtronic USA, Inc. and Medtronic Vascular, Inc.

**Critical dates include:**

- Date of docketing. See Fed. Cir. R. 12.
- Entry of appearance. See Fed. Cir. R. 47.3.
- Certificate of interest. See Fed. Cir. R. 47.4.
- Docketing Statement. (*Due within 14 days of the date of docketing, or within 30 days if the United States or its officer or agency is a party in the appeal.*) See the en banc order dated September 18, 2006. [Counsel can download a copy of the order and guidelines at [www.fedcir.gov](http://www.fedcir.gov).]
- Requests for extensions of time. See Fed. Cir. R. 26 and 27. **N.B. Delayed requests are not favored by the court.**
- Briefs. See Fed. Cir. R. 31. **N.B. You will not receive a separate briefing schedule from the Clerk's Office.**
- Settlement discussions. See Fed. Cir. R. 33.
- Oral argument schedule conflicts. See Practice Note following Fed. Cir. R. 34.

Pro se parties should refer to the Guide for Pro Se Petitioners and Appellants.

**Attachments:**

- Official caption to all.
- Docketing Statement. (Only in cases where all parties are represented by counsel.)
- Rules of Practice to pro se parties. [Counsel can download the rules from [www.fedcir.gov](http://www.fedcir.gov) or call 202.633.6550.]
- Entry of appearance form to all.
- Informal brief form to pro se parties.
- Transcript Purchase Order form to appellants.
- Motion and Affidavit for Leave to Proceed in Forma Pauperis form to appellants owing the docketing fee.

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Official Caption<sup>1</sup>

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ADVANCED CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEMS, INC.  
and GUIDANT SALES CORPORATION,

Plaintiffs-Appellees,

v.

MEDTRONIC VASCULAR, INC. and MEDTRONIC USA, INC.,

Defendants-Appellants.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Delaware  
in case no. 98-CV-80 (consolidated with 98-CV-314 and 98-CV-316),  
Chief Judge Sue L. Robinson.

Authorized Abbreviated Caption<sup>2</sup>

ADVANCED CARDIOVASCULAR v MEDTRONIC, 2007-1365

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<sup>1</sup> Required for use on petitions, formal briefs and appendices, court opinions, and dispositive court orders.  
FRAP 12(a); 32(a).

<sup>2</sup> Authorized for use only on items not requiring the Official Caption as listed in note 1.

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Appeal Information Sheet

United States District Court for the District of Delaware

Type of Case: PATENT INFRINGEMENT

2007-1365

Caption: Advances Cardio Sys, et al v. Medtronic Vascular, et al

Plaintiff(s): \*Arterial Vascular Engineering, Inc., Advanced Cardiovascular Systems, Inc., Guidant Sales Corporation

Defendant(s): Medtronic Ave Inc., Medtronic USA, Inc.

(List all parties. Use asterisk to indicate dismissed or withdrawn parties. Explain any discrepancy with caption used on judgment, order or opinion.)

Docket No. 98cv80

Date of Judgment/Order: 1/5/05, 2/4/05, 2/14/05, 2/16/05, 2/18/05, 3/30/07, 4/24/07, 5/3/07

Cross/Related Appeal: NO

Date of Notice of Appeal: 5/9/07

Date of Notice of Appeal Docketed: 5/9/07

Appellant is: Medtronic Ave Inc., Medtronic USA, Inc.

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U.S. Appeal? Yes

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Date: May 11, 2007